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ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975.

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of :  
Hisao FURUKAWA et al. :  
Serial No. NEW : Attn: Application Branch  
Filed September 7, 2000 : Attorney Docket No. 2000\_1216  
INTEGRATED INFORMATION :  
COMMUNICATION SYSTEM :  
(Rule 1.53(b) Divisional  
of Serial No. 08/962,563,  
Filed October 31, 1997)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE TITLE:

Please change the title of the invention to: --INTEGRATED INFORMATION  
COMMUNICATION SYSTEM USING INTERNET PROTOCOL--.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, between the title of the invention "INTEGRATED INFORMATION  
COMMUNICATION SYSTEM" and the heading "BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION" insert  
a new paragraph --This is a Rule 1.53(b) Divisional Application of Serial No. 08/962,563, Filed  
October 31, 1997, <sup>now pat. No. 6,145,011</sup>--.

Page 2, line 6, change "sown" to --shown--.

Page 4, line 20, after "VANs" insert --(Value Added Networks)--.

Page 5, line 24, change "configures" to --configured--.

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